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PRODUCING THE SAME

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PETITION FOR CONSIDERATION OF
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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In accordance with 37 CFR 1.97(d)(2) applicants petition for the consideration of the references listed on the attached Form PTO-1449. Each of the cited references was cited in a communication from the European Patent Office dated September 17, 1999, less than three months prior to the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement. The filing of this petition is necessitated by the fact that the Notice of Allowance on this application issued September 27, 1999, ten days after the European Search Report issued.

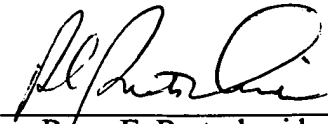
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